



ABATE OF NORTH IDAHO KOOTENAI CHAPTER ROAD DOG AGENDA

*To Guard and Protect the Individual Rights of All Persons Interested in Motorcycling,
To Keep Them Informed of All Laws That Will Help or Hinder Them as Motorcyclists and to
Promote Safety, Brotherhood and Freedom for All Motorcycle Riders.*

July 7, 2016 Meeting Minutes

CALL TO ORDER TIME: 6:31 PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Y CHECK FOR QUORUM: Y APPROVED AGENDA: Y

Add to Agenda: Meeting Place under New Business.

APPOVE MINUTES: Gary Ghirarduzzi, 1st. Paul Riess 2nd all

WELCOME GUESTS: No Guests

GUEST SPEAKER: Leslie Duncan

Ran for County Commissioner and will run again. Topic for Over-reaching Federal Government. Leslie explained the positive and negative aspects of a growing movement to change Constitution. Such changes may add restrictions to federal power. Article 5 Convention may be great or terrible for outcome. Nullification allows states to override federal law as has been done for several laws in several states. "All it takes for evil to triumph is for good men to do nothing."-Edmund Burke.

COORDINATOR REPORT: (Belinda Wright-Ertz) Appreciate everyone who came to Spring Opener. Turnout was not as big for event due to weather concern but still great overall. Have award buttons for the members who really stood out in volunteering.

DEPUTY COORDINATOR REPORT: (Paul Riess) Had show of hands for how many came to Spring Opener. Asked other why not. Only downfall to Spring Opener was not enough folks.

TREASURERS REPORT: (Susan Riess) accepted Belinda Carson 1st, Keith McKinney 2nd, all accepted
Pay MRF Dues: A bill for \$100 was submitted for MRF dues. Duane Justus made a motion to pay^t, Theresa Dittman 2nd, All approved. Belinda Ertz submitted a bill for \$50 paid to the Membership Award winning Hells Canyon Chapter. Loosing Chapters are suppose to buy the winning Chapter a drink at the Spring Opener. Duane Justus made a motion to approve the reimbursement. Paul Riess 2nd, all accepted

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY REPORT: (Belinda Carson) current members 87 new members 31

Reminder we have Life Flight - Pro-rated membership amount for August 1 start date-April: \$ 33.75 – must be in Belinda Ertz hands no later than 7/25/16

AMBASSADOR AT LARGE: (Duane Justus) : Moderator of COC meeting. Spokanimal Ride is huge July 9th. Urged to vote according to conscience and explained Ethanol 15 bill.

SECRETARY REPORT / CORRESPONDENCE: (Theresa Dittman) Letter from Mike Lundy detailing Awaken Decision America Tour to Boise.

LEGISLATIVE: (Dave Cazel) – Not Present

SAFETY: (Karen Stewart)- Not Present

EVENT: Keith's Ride July 23rd – Ride will change from Bear Creek Lodge to Fairfield Museum, will update Facebook and flyers. Leave Lawrence's Motorcycles at 10:30am.

OLD BUSINESS:

- ✓ Drivers Ed – Drivers Ed Committee still has not met: Bensons, Lundy, Belinda Carson, Sean, Dan, Theresa
- ✓ 4th of July Parade- Only had a few participants to make a showing at the 4th of July parade so canceled.
- ✓ Donation to Matt's Place-Letter and donation went out and was received.
- ✓ Web site –Kootenai, Hoodoo, and Hells Canyon now all have a page.
- ✓ Kids Camp- Mike Westmorland and Keith McKinney were the only two people who showed up to hand out presents at the Super Star Kids Camp. We donated \$375 gifts, but we need to do a better job of showing up especially when it is something like this that involves children.

NEW BUSINESS:

We need to be committed to attending the events we decide are worth supporting. Attendance is important to awareness. A suggestion of a phone tree was put to the members. It was considered a good idea and a signup sheet went around.

- ✓ **Toy Run** – Belinda Carson will coordinate it. Paul will do poster. Super1 stores if used again will need to be contacted right away. Belinda Ertz said she had the contact information to pass on.
- ✓ **BOD Meeting** Potlatch Dad's Diner – Sunday July 10th. The Board will be taking nominations for the 2017 year. Kootenai Chapter nominated: Coordinator: Dan Ertz, Deputy Coordinator: Paul Riess said he would think about it and let us know. Secretary: Monica Pine, Membership Secretary: Pauline Durst Amb. at Large: Duane Justus:
- ✓ **Next month's meeting – August 2 Tuesday at JB's, Mike 1st, Duane 2nd**

COMMUNITY OUTREACH-

Aces for Faces: Flyers available: \$25 for the ride in September / ALS Ron's Walk: September

Meeting Adjourned: 7:30

Gary Ghirarduzzi 1st, Mike Westmorland 2nd

Drawings:

50/50

Shoulda, Coulda, Woulda: Harold Brazil

Open Forum: